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FOR THIS WEEK

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THIS WEEK

Hoot Gibson in "The Wild West Show."

## Final Preparations For Erection New School

A meeting of the School Board was held on Monday night and was attended by T. K. McNeill, contractor for the new school and the City Engineer of Lethbridge, who earlier in the afternoon had assisted in staking out the building site. Active operations in putting up the building will begin at once.

## Chautauqua Example Successful Co-operation

The ever-increasing success of co-operative movements in the Dominion of Canada is a well known fact. The Canadian Chautauquas, as a co-operative movement, has shared in this conspicuous success. This year two new circuits will be added to those already in operation, which means that at least one-third more the number of towns served last year will have the Canadian Chautauqua service.

Something like twenty-five thousand of the leading citizens west of the Great Lakes are earnestly co-operating in order that they may meet the needs of the people through the medium of this institution. Even in the larger centres of Eastern Canada Chautauqua has proved to be a means of contributing to the higher well-being of the people. Successful Chautauquas have been held in St. John, Halifax, Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto, but even these centres cannot boast of the success attained by Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton, Moose Jaw, etc. In fact, so great have city Chautauqua audiences become that Canadian Chautauquas will have to provide new tents approximately more than twice as large as former tents used, in order to accommodate the increasing numbers that are eager to enjoy Chautauqua programs. Something like three thousand people attended the evening sessions of Chautauqua in the city of Winnipeg last year. This naturally means that smaller communities have received the benefit of better Chautauqua programs because of the co-operation of these larger centres.

The holiday season is with us again and it would appear greater numbers of people than ever are taking advantage of it. An auto trip lasting from one to three weeks seems to be a part of every auto owner's holiday itinerary. Camping is a part of the vacation which is very popular both because of its economy and healthfulness. These summer trips are very far from time wasted, in fact it is a matter of regret that everyone cannot take a vacation regularly. The nicest kind of work grows monotonous as you being kept at it year in and year out without a change.

The trek to the Calgary exhibition this year is undoubtedly the largest from this district that has ever occurred. Even those who are leaving on their holidays are saving a day or two for the exhibition.

The C. P. R. crop report of July 9th says: "Conditions in Alberta have been almost ideal. Rain following hot weather have caused remarkable growth and it is conceded this is one of the best crops on record from weather standpoint. All wheat is in good blade and in many fields shows signs of heading within next few days. Oats and barley are making correspondingly good growth. Winter wheat is in head and despite the fact that some of it was touched by frost will be a good crop. Rains have affected the sugar beet crop but good weather should put things right. Livestock is doing well."

OTTAWA, July 10.—Canada's total area estimated as down to wheat for 1928, is 23,405,900 acres against 22,460,154 acres finally reported for 1927. This estimate reports an increase of 945,746 or four per cent.

The area of fall wheat to be harvested, according to a crop report issued today by the Dominion bureau of statistics, is estimated at 793,300 acres against 853,238 acres in 1927, a decrease of 57,758 acres or seven per cent. Spring wheat occupies 22,616,400 acres against 21,600,800 acres, an increase of 1,005,604 acres, or five per cent.

## HORSESHOE PITCHING TOURNAMENT

A Horseshoe Pitching Tournament will be one of the features of the big U. F. A. Sports Day to be held in Travers on Wednesday, July 25, 1928. The competition will be open for teams of two men each and will be held under the regulations of the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association. The entry fee will be 50 cents each person or \$1.00 a team. All entries will close by 3 o'clock p. m. on July 25th. The match will be played in two stages.

(A) First Stage.—Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. and closing at 3 p. m. Each team will pitch 100 shoes or 50 shoes per man. The total score of each man and each team will be kept. A special prize of \$5.00 will be awarded to the man who scores the greatest number of rings in the first stage.

(B) Second Stage or Finals.—Will begin at 4 o'clock p. m. July 25th. The eight (8) teams making the highest scores in the first stage will be selected and the rotation or round robin plan will be followed by which each team will pitch one 21 point game against each other team.

To the team winning the most games in the finals—First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5; third prize, \$2.50. An official scorer shall cover each game and a referee shall decide points when contestants are in doubt. It is hoped every district will send its champion teams.

Other attractions at the big U. F. A. Sports Day will be: A big baseball tournament wherein Turin, Queens-town, Travers and other crack teams will battle for championship honors. Boys' and girls' races. Horse racing. Top-of-war, etc., etc.

The secretary of the Travers Horseshoe Club will be glad to forward any further information. Come and bring your family and friends — we will make you welcome.

Medus J. Boldos, president; James Sallows, secretary.

## Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ditto and family left for Spokane on Monday, also Mr. and Mrs. A. Bach and Mr. and Mrs. W. Summers.

Mrs. Henry Booher, her son Fred, aged 24, and two hired men were murdered at Manville by a supposed maniac.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Campbell left on Sunday on a holiday trip which will extend to California. H. E. Johnson and Miss Leola will accompany them on the trip.

G. F. Smith's new office building is nearing completion and will make a very considerable improvement to appearance of the street on which it is located.

The improvements in W. C. Hoskins' hardware store are nearing completion and will add greatly to the space available for display of his stock and also provides better lighting facilities.

The painting of the Savoy hotel, which has been delayed by the unusually wet weather, will begin as soon as the weather is sufficiently settled to permit the work being carried on.

Orville Harper's report on the Peace River district after his recent visit is quite flattering to the prospects there but he considers the price of improved land there to be very high considering its possibilities of production. The outlying districts did not appeal very largely to him.

An appeal is being made to the ratepayers of the Consolidated school district to pay arrears of taxes due to the district. These have reached a large sum and the Public Utility Commissioners insisted that these arrears should form a part of the money used in the construction of the new school. There is every reason to assume that a general effort will be made to reduce these arrears to a minimum amount.

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THURSDAY, July 12, 1928

## NOTES AND COMMENT.

It is not only wheat that has made a magnificent growth this year. Weeds of every description are flourishing as never before with wheat, especially that sown on stubble will suffer from their depredations. The writer has destroyed the weeds on a patch of ground three times this year and they are again in bloom. The situation provides a real problem for everybody concerned. Some greater precautions in respect to weeds are absolutely essential if it is to remain an agricultural district.

Are we in Canada profiting by the experience of other countries? Fortunately, we are to a certain extent the protection idea is rapidly gaining headway. The appropriations for protection are increasing yearly. Permanent systems with towers, telephone communication and in place aeroplanes are steadily gaining ground. In Ontario, Honorable William Finlayson states that the people must be prepared to spend still more money on their protection if the revenue from the forest is to be maintained. He further states that the forest must be looked upon as a crop and treated as such and here is the crux of the whole matter. Once the people of Canada are convinced of this, the necessary expenditures for adequate protection will be forthcoming as a matter of course. Unlike the forests of the United States, which belong largely to private owners, the forests of Canada belong to the people. The United States are spending millions of dollars annually to get back some of their forest and so to provide for future supplies. Canada does not need to do this, but she does need a still more effective fire protection organization if she is to win out in the battle against fire during the years of real hazard.

Five thousand fire-rangers patrolling your forests are counting on your active co-operation this year. Report all fires immediately to the nearest fire-ranger or forest branch head quarters—Forest and Outdoors.

## POSTMASTERS' SALARIES

Charges that postmasters continue to be inadequately remunerated, as was claimed by their Alberta association in convention in Calgary last week, constitute a very serious grievance, should they prove to be well founded, to the rectification of which the Canadian public will readily agree.

The work of the postmaster and his assistants is an unusually exacting task, the only governmental undertaking which affects every man, woman and child in Canada. Their work is of a particularly exacting nature and the unflinching accuracy with which it is executed is demonstrated by the implicit confidence with which the Canadian citizen entrusts his mail to the postmaster's care.

Suggestions heard at last session of the Dominion Parliament looking toward the increase of postmaster salaries, it would appear by the discussions of last week's convention, have been partially implemented but at the expense of the larger post offices, only those postmasters who were being paid less than \$1000 a year reaping the benefit, while the larger post offices actually received less money.

There are a number of directions in which Canadian taxpayers would prefer to see government retrenchment applied rather than toward postal services. Not only is the postmaster one of the country's most reliable servants, but he may safely be credited with being one of the most willing in proportion to his rewards—Alberta.

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## MANITOBA PROFESSOR SUCCEEDS DR. TORY AS HEAD OF UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

Edmonton, July 9.—The appointment of Dr. C. G. Wallace of the University of Manitoba to the position of president of the University of Alberta in succession to Dr. H. M. Tory, was announced today by the minister of education, Hon. Perron Bland, in the absence of Premier Brownie who left on Saturday night for California.

Dr. Wallace expects to be able to take up his duties by September 1.

**Exceptional Erudition**  
Winnipeg, July 9.—Dr. W. C. Wallace, whose appointment to the presidency of the University of Alberta was officially announced today, is at present head of the department of mineralogy and geology of Manitoba University and commissioner of mines for the province. He was formerly commissioner for Northern Manitoba.

A man of exceptional erudition, Dr. Wallace came to Canada in 1910 from Scotland. In that year he became lecturer in geology and mineralogy and was appointed professor in that department.

He was born in Orkney, Scotland, and educated in Deerness school, Edinburgh University where he obtained his first three degrees in 1901, 1907 and 1912, and Goettingen University where he graduated with a doctor of philosophy degree in 1907.

In 1918 he was appointed commissioner for Northern Manitoba with headquarters at The Pas, a position he held until 1921 when he was appointed a member of the board of trustees of the provincial library and museum.

Dr. Wallace was elected vice-president of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and a fellow of the mineralogical society of America. He is also a fellow of the Royal Society of Canada and of the Geological Society, London.

In the midst of his arduous teaching, exploring and field work Dr. Wallace has found time to write copiously on subjects in which he has earned fame.

## ROCKEFELLER 89 YEARS OLD—CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

New York, July 9.—John D. Rockefeller, who was 89 years old yesterday, has not made major gifts to as many institutions as his son, John D. Rockefeller Jr., has made so far. A compilation of the larger gifts of the Rockefellers from 1910 to 1927 shows that the elder Rockefeller has given \$443,832,644 to 10 institutions and the son \$60,094,489 to 42 recipients. These figures do not include gifts to the University of Chicago to 1910, which amounted approximately to \$45,000,000.

Only three of the elder Rockefeller's gifts are less than \$100,000, whereas 22 of the son's are under that amount. No gift of less than \$100,000 is included in the compilation.

The contributions of the senior Rockefeller in the period mentioned follow:

Rockefeller foundation, \$182,704,624.

General education board, \$129,127,560.

Laura Spellman Rockefeller memorial, \$78,575,457.

Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, \$59,964,000.

American Baptist Foreign Mission society, \$57,255,000.

Misericordia missionaries' benefit board of the Northern Baptist convention, \$57,000,000.

American Baptist Home Mission society, \$5,475,000.

Y. M. C. A. international committee, \$500,000.

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Son Gives Too  
Tarrytown, N. Y., July 9.—John D. Rockefeller, junior, has purchased for \$5,000,000 the Pocanto Hills property of Joseph Normal College conducted by the Christian Brothers, and has given the college \$1,000,000 toward the cost of its removal program.

The \$1,000,000 gift to the college was said to be the largest single gift Mr. Rockefeller ever had made to Catholicism.

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Cook Stove, Heater, Gas Lamp, Show Case, etc.—See G. M. Campbell.

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Between Champion and Geo. Alcock's on Thursday, June 21st, weed truck chain. Finder please return to the owner, L. Miller, or leave at Chronicle office.

For Sale  
Pure bred Tamworth Bear, eighteen months old. Apply to R. H. Macdonald, Phone 1312, Champion.

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**PREMIER INDEFINITE ON ROAD SITUATION**

Calgary, July 6.—Premier J. E. Brownlee, when questioned here Friday morning as to what the government planned to do to remedy the present terrible condition of the main highways of Alberta, was indefinite and very non-committal. The government road policy, he said, was being pushed as fast as the government's ability to pay would allow. As to actually what was being done, he could not say. "We cannot be held responsible," he continued, "for a condition that is caused by unusual weather conditions. In addition, you must remember there are many farmers who cannot get to town. The market roads of the province are just as important as the highways."

Some of the towns throughout Alberta, he said, had accepted the government's proposition to contribute half the expense of making and keeping up passable highways through the mud. He mentioned that all towns except two between Calgary and Edmonton had agreed to this, but the others had done nothing as yet. He had nothing to say when questioned as to whether or not the government would take action to compel non-complying towns to accept the proposal and whether it was the intention to build highways around them where this would be expedient. Mr. Brownlee stated that in his opinion and according to reports he has received from all parts of the province the crop outlook was excellent at the present time.

**FARMERS MAY HOMESTEAD SECOND TIME UNDER NEW DEPARTMENTAL REGULATION**

A new regulation of the department of the interior makes it possible for Canadian farmers who have homesteaded to exercise their homestead rights a second time. While this new regulation may not affect the situation in the south it doubtless will be utilized by settlers going into the open lands in the north.

The new regulations, says the Edmonton Journal, have given a great impetus to the land rush at the office. The same applies in the Peace River country where great numbers of the original settlers are preparing to file on homesteads for the second time.

By the recent amendments to the dominion lands act, all who filed, did their homestead duties and were eligible to take out their patents to the land prior to January 1, 1925, may again seek land. Before filing at the local land office however, it will be necessary to make application to the commissioner of dominion lands, Ottawa, giving particulars of the land proved up, when they will receive certificates of eligibility to file for the second time.

**EARLY WHEAT IS WELL HEADED IN MANY SECTIONS. REPORT STATES**

Edmonton, July 7.—Early sown wheat is well headed out in many sections of the province and all grains are making splendid growth, according to telegraphic reports received by the department of agriculture on Friday for the fifth fortnightly crop report of the season. Growing conditions have been ideal since the last report was issued, the entire province having benefitted from general rains during the past two weeks. Crops which appeared somewhat patchy owing to the delayed germination reflecting the drought in May, are showing a much greater uniformity and little difficulty is expected at harvest time as a result of this situation.

Coarse grains have all been making vigorous growth and a great many fields of oats and barley are in the sheaf. All crops have stood much more heavily than was expected during the dry period, with a consequent improvement in the prospect for a heavy yield. A number of districts report that summer-fallowing is being temporarily delayed by the unusual amount of moisture in the soil. Conditions have been ideal for breaking and in many localities more new land is being brought under cultivation this season than for many years.

Rain has interfered to some extent with haying in the southern part of the province where a very early crop of alfalfa and sweet clover is being cut. Good progress is being made with the thinning of the sugar beet crop and a good yield is promised from the 6500 acres sown to beets this year.

Crops in the Peace River section of the province are somewhat more advanced than at this time last year and prospects for a very satisfactory yield are reported.

Crop damage has been confined to the efforts of hail over very limited areas and is negligible. Practically no injury from insect pests is reported. Pastures have made renewed growth as a result of the rains and livestock is in very satisfactory condition.

Joe Bennett returned to town on Tuesday after a trip to the Peace River country. Joe likes the country but is of the opinion that business of every kind is overcrowded. The rush to the district is wonderful, but the percentage of those remaining there is not very large.

# GRAND BASEBALL TOURNAMENT



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### Co-operation Rather Than Discord

It has been one of Canada's greatest misfortunes that periodically throughout its history campaigns have been inaugurated having for their object the division of the people into racial camps divided by lines of racial and creed differences. Probably no one thing has in the past operated quite so disastrously to retard the growth and national development of Canada as Time and time again when some large national question was up for decision, the issue turned, not on the merits of the question and the national policy involved, but upon some petty race and creed cry. One of the outstanding crises which is still fresh in the public mind was the Rectory election of 1911 when, in the last two weeks of the campaign, Ontario was swept by one of these insidious cries, and tens of thousands of voters were stampeded from support of their economic preferences in favor of free trade and white markets.

Throughout his long career, both in private and public life, Sir Wilfrid Laurier pleaded and strove for unity and concord among all classes of the Canadian people. Hon. Mr. Bennett, who is worthily upholding the same cause, and it is gratifying to note that Hon. R. B. Bennett, as leader of the Conservative Party in the Dominion, is throwing the weight of his eloquence and influence in the same direction, speaking at Magog, in the Eastern Townships of Quebec, last month, Mr. Bennett said: "He who sows seeds of discord and distrust in racial and religious matters is a greater enemy to Canada than one who came with an armed force. You cannot develop a country by ill-will, hatred or contempt." A few days later at Chatham, N.S., Bennett used these words: "The application of the Golden Rule in the life of a nation is quite as important as it is in the life of an individual," and he added that anyone who "in the heat of an election sought to raise old animosities, to sow seeds of discord, must not forget his responsibility for such unjust action."

Here in Western Canada it is absolutely vital to the welfare of the country that such words be heeded. To an ever increasing degree the people of the West are looking to and relying upon co-operative movements and enterprises to solve the economic problems of the country. To date these have attained a marvelous success in a comparatively short space of time. This has been accomplished by all creeds, parties of any sort, and by all races, in towns and country, working together. There has been no line of demarcation in the upbuilding of these large co-operative organizations. The Wheat Pools of the West, for example, could never have attained their present position but for such foolishness as so often enters into political campaigns be allowed.

The unfortunate fact remains that if the people of a Province or Community are stirred up and divided upon racial or religious lines for partisan political purposes, or for any other reason, the inevitable result is to create suspicions and animosities in the community, or throughout the Province, which makes it extremely difficult, if not impossible, to get all classes together, or hold them together, in a true spirit of co-operation. If the people of the West are divided into Catholic groups and anti-Catholic groups, into fish-speaking groups and non-fish-speaking groups, it naturally becomes impossible for them to come together in the right spirit of friendliness and co-operation which is so essential to the maintenance and development of such organizations as the United Farmers, the Wheat Pools, and other co-operative organizations.

These racial and religious campaigns have never got their proponents anywhere, have never accomplished good, but have always resulted in harm, they are in no sense constructive but always destructive. Despite any and all claims that may be made for them they are the reverse of British and open denial of that liberty and justice, it is our proud boast, is to be found and is guaranteed to all under the British flag.

Not only are these unscrupulous campaigns destructive of a real national spirit; not only do they retard national growth, development and prosperity; they render the task of government, whether in the Dominion and Provinces, or in municipal councils and school boards, difficult and sometimes impossible, and in all cases more expensive and less efficient.

Western Canadians, interested in the growth of their country, loyal to its interests, and committed to the policy of co-operation for the common good of all, should most emphatically set their heel upon the ugly head of the serpent of racial and religious ill-will whenever and wherever it may raise itself.

### Learning From Canada and United States

#### Nations Realizing Foolishness of Arming Against Each Other

The idea of renouncing war is not unfamiliar to us. War is renounced between England and Scotland, between Madras and Bombay, between Bengal and Bihar. The idea of war within the Empire is remote from our thoughts. The apprehension of the thing does not add a sixpence to

the estimates. And we may say the same of the relations between Canada and the United States. It is true that war has never been formally renounced by these two neighboring Powers, but in practice it is renounced, and neither country arms against the other. To these conceptions, familiar within the British Empire and characterizing for more than a hundred years the relation of Canada to her southern neighbor, it is now proposed to give a wider extension.

#### Insulin Distributed Free

Ontario Government Supplying More Than a Million Units a Month

Insulin is being distributed free to diabetes sufferers by the Ontario Government at the rate of more than a million units a month, on the average.

Hon. Dr. Forbes Godfrey, Minister of Health, has announced that the April distribution totalled 1,600,000 units.

Altogether 824 patients are receiving this treatment in Ontario and the total cost of manufacture and distribution per patient was \$5.00 during April.

#### B.C. Agricultural Production

Agricultural production in British Columbia in 1927 totalled \$76,909,269, the largest sum on record, an increase of 7.88 per cent. over the previous year. Exports of agricultural products increased by 19.23 per cent.

#### Every Home Needs Minard's Liniment

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### New Quarters For Wheat Pool

Central Office Building To Be Constructed In Winnipeg

The Canadian Wheat Pool, a farmers' organization, which handles most export grain than any other organization in the world, is to be housed in a new central office building to be constructed in Winnipeg immediately. The building will be 60 feet by 120 feet, of thoroughly modern construction, faced with Manitoba stone and will cost \$400,000.

The turnover of the Canadian Wheat Pools which will be directed from this office exceeds an average of a million dollars a day.

### ST. VITUS DANCE

#### A Trouble That Usually Attacks Young Children

St. Vitus dance is the name generally given to a disease described by medical men as chorea. This trouble usually attacks young children, though adults are sometimes afflicted with it. The characteristic symptoms are a twitching of the face and limbs. As the disease progresses the twitching takes the form of spasms in which the face and limbs may be convulsed to the face or all the limbs may be affected. Frequently the child is unable to hold anything in the hands or walk steadily. The disease is often affected. The disease is due to debility of the nerves and relief comes through rest and good food supply. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been successful in relieving this trouble through their specific action on the blood, purifying and purifying. The following instance proves the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The child, Thomas Brown, Bath, Ont., says: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been in use in my family for years and always with good results. I believe they saved the life of my only son. At ten years of age he grew very nervous and the trouble developed into St. Vitus Dance. His legs and arms would jerk and twitch and his speech was affected, and his condition was pitiable. Just then there came to me a little book telling of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and by the time six boxes were taken all traces of the trouble had disappeared and the trouble would and strong. I have also given the pills to my growing girls, and I know of no other strengthening medicine. I may add that the same applies to grown-ups as well. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by sending 50 cents in a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

### Kills Off Noxious Weeds

#### Alberta Farmer Uses Invention Which May Prove Valuable

A machine to dig and destroy weeds has been invented by D. W. Warner, R.M.P., of Calgary. A large rotary (horizontal) cylinder is the principal part of the new digger. Into this cylinder are inserted hundreds of large spikes. As the cylinder revolves at high speed the teeth match the soil, biting deep into the subsoil. Clouds of earth are thrown toward the rear of the machine. The dirt settles quickly while the weeds float through the air, finally settling in a wind-spiral over the newly-turned earth.

Weeds with extensive root systems, such as twigs grass and thistles, will fall on easy victim to the digger. Experiments carried out recently resulted in a field being left covered with finely minced twigs grass roots, like chaff which piles up behind the threshing machine.

No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corn when no certain relief is at hand as Holloway's Corn Remover.

#### Canada Mineral Industry

Capital employed in Canada's mineral industry in 1927 increased nearly by \$18,000,000 over the previous year. The mineral output was valued at \$218,355,031, an increase of 4.6 per cent. over 1926.

### SUMMER COMPLAINT

#### Nearly Lost Her Little Girl

Mr. Theodore Rivett, Anthony, Ont., writes: "Last Fall I nearly lost my little girl as she was suffering terribly from summer complaint. This became very thin and weak, had no appetite, and could hardly walk across the room. After falling into bed, my doctor advised me to get a bottle of



and after she had taken a few doses she was relieved. I also found it a grand remedy for cramps, and would not be without a bottle of it in the house for anything."

Has been on the market for over 80 years, put up only by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

### Memorial For Atlantic Flier

Parents Of Hon. Elsie Mackay Give \$25,000.00 Toward National Debt

In memory of their daughter, the Hon. Elsie Mackay, who perished in a trans-Atlantic flight, Vincent and Lady Inskip have given \$25,000.00 (twenty thousand) to reduce the national debt. This announcement was made by Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer, in the House of Commons. The money will be placed in a trust and will be known as the Elsie Mackay fund. The sum given to the nation is the residue of the Hon. Elsie Mackay's estate. The donation will be left to accumulate for fifty years.

The Hon. Elsie Mackay, third daughter of Lord Inskip, British shipping magnate, made the attempt to cross the Atlantic by air with Captain Walter Hinchcliffe. The take-off was from Cranwell aerodrome, Eng., on the morning of March 13. No trace of the two has been found since.

### Victims Of Diseased Milk

97 Per Cent. Of Population Is Affected By Tuberculosis

Three out of every four cripples, excluding war and accident cases, are victims of diseased milk. Dr. K. H. Hays, of London, Ontario, has been the first to declare that 97 per cent. of the entire population was affected by tuberculosis and that this condition was a social as well as a medical problem. Out of every child, two would not be visibly affected; two would break down and one would not recover.

The disease, according to Dr. Hays, came principally from infected milk and could readily be overcome by pasteurization and compulsory testing of cattle furnishing the supplies.

### Opportunities Not Exhausted

Many Chances Yet For Immigrants Coming To America

Holmberg, professor at the University of St. Olaf in Northern Minnesota, came to this country in 1905, an immigrant without money. Today, as the second of the great booms in the "Earth" he is famous. Standing on the deck of a steamer on the way home from a visit to Norway, he said that the chances for the immigrant coming to America today were as great as when he first came. That is significant. So many young people, native born and alien, feel that pioneering is done. They think the best opportunities have all slipped away. They underestimate the sources and the constantly changing conditions of this world.

### Excellent For Croupy Children

When a child is suffering with croup, or a good plan is to use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It relieves the inflammation and loosens the phlegm in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and soothes the chest, soothes the lungs, calms, soothes and soothes. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is regarded by the medical profession as an indispensable of the family medicine chest.

### Five Cent Air Mail

Reduction From Ten Cent Rate Announced In U.S. For August 1st

A new United States five cent air mail postage rate, to be effective August first, is announced by Postmaster-General New. A five cent air mail stamp has been authorized. The reduction from the ten cent rate was authorized by the Kelly act, recently signed by President Coolidge. New said he expected the cut in rates to increase the country's air mail business by from 100 to 200 per cent.

### Plane Loses Its Engine

When the engine fell from its airplane while the craft was in the middle of a loop at a 1,500 foot altitude, Walter Brooks, of Alhambra, Pa., righted the plane and glided to an easy landing. Neither he nor his passenger, Walter Heston, was injured. The plane had just started into a loop when the heavy engine broke from its supports and dropped. It fell half a mile from where the plane landed.

### Honey Production

Honey production in Canada in 1927 was 23,647,208 pounds valued at \$3,660,629, according to a statement issued at Ottawa, this being an increase of 77 per cent. over the previous year, due mostly to a favorable season but also to the greater number of colonies.

While it may be true that British law gives a man the right to open his wife's letters, yet it doesn't give him a wife who will submit to that sort of thing.

Minard's Liniment For Insect Bites.

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Amount given with Cuticura Ointment. After five minutes bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue with Cuticura. This treatment is best on rising and retiring. Regular use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment cleans and comforts under, sensitive skins and keeps them healthy and attractive.

See Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

### "Ne" Canadians Celebrate

Picturesque and Colorful Folk Song and Handicraft Festival

"New Canadians" from fifteen countries of Northern Europe joined in a celebration at Winnipeg recently to illustrate the national acts and culture which they are contributing to Canadian life. The celebration which took form of a picturesque and colorful folk song and handicraft festival, was opened by Sir James Aikins, former Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, in the presence of the Royal Alexandra Hotel, where handicraft exhibits were shown representing typical European market centers.

Settlers in Western Canada, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Iceland, Germany, France, Belgium, Jugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Rumania, Finland, Hungary, Lithuania, Poland and Russia were represented in the display of artistic handicraft. Performers of folk songs and dances were given every afternoon and evening with 400 performers appearing in national costumes and attracting large audiences.

The festival is regarded as a unique demonstration of the contribution of the nations of Northern Europe to Canadian life and the part which they are taking in the rapid development of Western Canada.

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### Entertained German Aces

Dinner Party Given In London By Canadian V.C.

Col. Bishop, the Canadian V.C., gave one of the strangest dinner parties ever held when he entertained in London, eight German aces, with several of whom he had actually fought bitter air duels during the war.

The best record among the Germans was that of Captain Carl Boile, leader of the famous Boelcke squadron, who shot down thirty-six machines against British records of seventy-two.

### Province Has Large Surplus

The Alberta Provincial Treasurer has just been able to declare a surplus up to the end of the last fiscal year of \$279,763, which is \$200,000 greater than he estimated. The surplus is taken as a reflection of good times both in the business and agricultural life of the province.

It isn't always what a man knows but what he doesn't tell that makes others believe he is wise.

If the man who wants the earth succeeded in getting it he would kick about the taxes.

The average time of vessels going through the St. Lawrence is 16 hours.

### Dressed Poultry Exports

Minister Of Agriculture To Investigate Market Value In England

Before sailing for England the Honorable W. L. Matherwell spent some time in Montreal discussing the situation with reference to exports to England of dressed poultry. Latest sales have been made on the basis of 32 to 36 cents per pound for 3 pound chickens and 30 cents seaboard for 4 1/2 pound chickens. The total export of chicken this year from January 1st to May 31st, was valued at \$111,675. It is the intention of Mr. Matherwell to devote some time to this export market situation regarding dressed poultry while in Great Britain along with other agricultural products exported, such as butter, eggs, cheese, bacon, beef cattle, etc.

### Tennis.

After a brisk game of tennis prevented stiffness by using Minard's Liniment.



### English Pheasants For Saskatchewan

An attempt is being made in the Athabasca and Lethbridge districts to raise English pheasants of the ring-necked variety. It is not many years since the Hungarian partridge was introduced into Western Canada. The experiment will take some years, and if successful will furnish an added attraction for bird hunters.

### Drives Asthma Like Jack

The immediate help from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's asthma remedy, Scott's Emulsion. Nevertheless it is only a natural remedy used in a natural way. The smoke or vapor, reaching the most remote passage of the affected tubes, brushes aside the trouble and opens a way for fresh air to enter. It is sold by dealers throughout the land.

### Indian Alimony

An Alaskan Indian was sentenced to pay his squaw alimony of one bull moose, properly butchered and delivered; ten mink skins, dressed and stretched; five grey fox pelts, or one silver pelt, and 100 full-grown salmon delivered in season.

Time and silence occasionally succeed where all other agencies fail.

### Slenderness And Health

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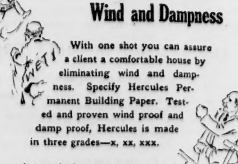
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## ITALIAN AIRMEN ESTABLISH NEW DISTANCE RECORD

Rio Janeiro, Brazil.—A new distance record for sustained flight was completed when Captain Arturo Ferraz and Major Carlo P. Del Prete, Italian airmen, landed on a little beach ten miles north of Natal, Brazil, some 4,000 miles from their take-off at Montefiore, Italy.

They brought their big seaplane, Buvio-64, in which they had previously established a world record for duration flight, to the land after a flight which took them across the Mediterranean, through the Strait of Gibraltar and then southeast over the Atlantic via the Cape Verde Islands.

An hour and twenty minutes after landing the fliers resumed their flight, heading for the city, but were later forced to descend again at Recife.

Stormy weather with heavy clouds put the fliers in peril in the last hours of their effort, and radio reports received here indicated that they had difficulty in maintaining their bearings after they reached the coast of Brazil.

They were sighted over Port Natal at 4:05 p.m. and were then believed to be heading for Pernambuco. Three hours and 45 minutes later they came down ten miles north of Natal at Point Genipabu. Poor visibility is believed to have caused their landing.

The failure of the two intrepid Italians to wind up their flight at Rio Janeiro brought disappointment to a huge crowd of spectators in this city. Word that the fliers had gone beyond Natal, flying to the south, was brought with alacrity by the fliers' landing near Pernambuco spread rapidly through the capital, and brought throngs to the water front.

## Asks Help For Children

Widow of Captain Hinchcliffe Says She Is Expendable.—The Daily Mail published a complaint from the widow of Captain Walter G. R. Hinchcliffe, pilot for the Hon. E. Mackay on his ill-fated trans-Atlantic flight, saying that her two children were unprotected for the establishment of a trust fund to reduce the British national debt in memory of Miss Mackay, by her parents, the Lord and Lady Hinchcliffe, called forth the letter.

Mrs. Hinchcliffe argued that while there was no legal obligation on Lord Hinchcliffe, there was a moral one, because the whole scheme of the flight came from Miss Mackay who had written four times to Lord Hinchcliffe telling him of her position and need. He replied non-committally the first letter, but she received no others to the others.

The government has already accepted the trust fund of £250,000, which will be left to accumulate for 60 years and then be applied to the debt.

## Interested In Wireless Merger

Heavily Makes Important Submissions to British Government.

London, England.—The Daily Mail says that President E. W. Beatty of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has made important submissions to the British Government embodying Canadian views concerning the rumored merger of wireless and cable companies to operate imperial communication. Until these recommendations are sifted out, delay in publishing the terms of the settlement is inevitable, says the newspaper. No confirmation of these statements is obtainable but Canadian Press understands that an agreement in principle has been made under consideration that might be made would likely be of small importance.

## Problem For Ontario

Toronto.—The spread of communist literature throughout the school sections of North Ontario continues unabated, according to officials of the department of education at Queen's Park. Departmental officials are making inquiries regarding the activity of the communists involved in preparation for any action the prime minister might see fit to take on his return from Europe.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh is 26 years of age.

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## Goes Over Niagara Falls

Jean Lussier Successfully Performs

Daring Stunt

Niagara Falls, N.Y.—Over the third time in history man conquered the mighty Niagara when Jean A. Lussier, 36-year-old, French-Canadian now living at Springfield, Mass., went over the Horseshoe Falls on the Canadian side in a specially constructed rubber ball while a crowd of 100,000 people lining the river banks on either side, cheered and applauded him.

The start was made from Cayuga Island, about three miles above the falls, at 2:30 o'clock and Lussier was rescued from the bridge edge below the falls at 3:20 o'clock by William Hill, darning riverman, alone in a rowboat. At first it was feared the giant ball might be carried down stream into the rapids. Lussier plunged over the brink at three o'clock.

When Hill reached the ball it was right side up and it was a matter of only a few seconds before it was towed to shore and opened.

The first to greet Lussier with a resounding smack on his cheek was his sister, Madame J. P. Couture, of Sherbrooke, Que.

The only bruises Lussier suffered in his perilous journey were of minor nature. There was a small mark on his right temple, and a spot on his left shoulder, and a spot on his left shin, about the size of a pea.

He said, in the terrific bounce while his strange conveyance was passing through the rapids above the falls.

Asked concerning his sensations while going over the precipice, Lussier said:

"I didn't even think. It happened too fast."

## An Interesting Exhibit

Improved Methods of Marketing to be Demonstrated at Western Fair

Winnipeg.—With the object of bringing directly before the producers some of the lessons learned during the Canadian National Bazaar marketing tour of the British Isles, the Canadian National Bazaar is preparing an exhibit to be shown at the fairs at Brandon, Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon and Regina during July.

The exhibit will be conducted in a car which the Canadian National Bazaar is providing and lecturers and demonstrators will be in attendance throughout. The exhibit will be in Brandon from July 25-28, in Regina, July 30 to August 4.

Among the matters which the exhibit will stress will be the importance of marketing only the highest quality products in the British Isles and all the standardizing of grades and improving methods of marketing. Canadian commercial products that they can meet more efficiently the intense competition of the Old Country markets. In addition to this, the exhibitors will be provided by the Government, there will be in attendance at the exhibit at each point visited two or more representatives from that district who will bring last year.

## Regrets Appointment Of Viscount Byng

Has Been a Mistake Says London Daily Express

London, England.—In a leading editorial The Daily Express indicates it greatly regrets the appointment of Viscount Byng, former Governor-General of Canada, as Commander-in-Chief of the Metropolitan Police to succeed Sir William Horwood, who is retiring.

"Nobody questions his splendid war record," The Express says, "but one man can lead only one life."

"We feel very strongly there has been a mistake on both sides and only Viscount Byng's voluntary resignation of his office can rectify it. That significant force of the Metropolitan police, should have at its head a young man of enthusiasm, initiative and vision combined with driving force."

The impression is growing here that Viscount Byng will withdraw his acceptance of the command-in-chief of the Metropolitan Police if the present criticism in the press and the political circles of his appointment continue. The objection to his assumption of the post are that he is too advanced in years for an arduous position in which he has had to take on and on these grounds members of the House of Commons, particularly the Labor members, and a number of newspapers are criticizing his appointment.

## Fraudulent Currency

Poke American Bills Being Circulated in Winnipeg

Winnipeg.—United States currency of one dollar bills carried warnings of the currency of fraudulent \$20 bills. Some of them have turned up here. Several merchants have been victimized in the last few days by the fake notes.

Bills used here are valid one dollar bills cleverly changed to give the appearance of the note of larger denomination.

Police fear an influx of the fraudulent notes during the next week when the Norse convention will draw hundreds of United States visitors. Merchants have been warned.

## Serious Drought In Mexico

Some Sections Have Had No Rain For a Year

Mexico City.—Cattle are dying, crops burning up and farmers are facing the longest season of drought in their lives, in many parts of Mexico as the result of one of the worst droughts the country has ever known.

Conditions are worse in the central states, the granary of Mexico, where the corn crop has almost failed, and in the cattle and grazing regions to the north between Mexico City and the border. Some of this territory has had no rain to speak of for a year.

USE CASH FROM GRAIN OVERRAGES FOR RESEARCH

Ottawa.—The Federal Government has decided to devote the entire amount of money resulting from the overages in Canadian terminal elevators toward research in connection with grain problems. In making his announcement, Hon. James Macdonald, minister of trade and commerce, stated that the decision had been made in view of the ever increasing importance of improving the production and marketing of Canadian grain.

The expenditure of monies resulting from overages will be under the direction of the National Research Council and the order-in-council relative to the disposal of such monies along these lines has been passed. Expenditures will be utilized not only to subsidize and extend the various researches now under way in universities and research laboratories, now conducting such work, but will make possible research on many pressing problems for which money heretofore has not been available.

In the opinion of the government, monies accruing from the grain trade should, as far as possible, go toward the solving of the problems of that trade. Among the most important problems in connection with which research has been going on for some time past is that of combating the insect pest of the grain. The amount of money from overages in Canadian terminal elevators at the disposal of the government for this purpose mentioned is \$219,000.

## SLATED TO RETIRE



Hon. Frank Oliver, Dominion lands commissioner, appointed to the board in 1923, is slated to retire this fall, it is reported, because he has reached the age limit of 75, even though he will have served only one-half of his ten-year period.

## Food Shortage In Russia

Soviets Buying Huge Amount of Grain in Baltic

London, England.—Huge purchases of wheat on the Baltic Exchange by Soviet Russia are reported in London, traders here expressing the opinion that the movement indicates a severe scarcity of food in Russia.

The quantity in Liverpool for spot cash amounts to between 100,000 to 200,000 tons, and Baltic London brokers expect Russia to buy almost as large a quantity again.

The prices agreed to without negotiations thus far have been unfavourable as much as 60 cents per quarter above the market rate, which is felt to indicate a tremendous immediate demand for grain.

London brokers say they have reports of long bread queues and a painful shortage of food in Russia which have been the worst since the world's largest exporters of grain.

Russia has not bought such supplies of wheat since the winter of 1919-1920.

## Natural Resources Question

Conference at Ottawa Has Been Satisfactory, Says Manitoba Premier

Ottawa.—"The conference has been satisfactory," declared Premier John Bracken, referring to the deliberations that have been in progress here between members of the Manitoba Government and the Federal Government.

"The subjects discussed and the conclusions arrived at will have to be communicated to the provincial government, and until they have been consulted nothing can be said at present."

The purpose of the conference was to discuss the question of the return of the natural resources to the province of Manitoba and to explore the various problems which this matter involves.

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## Weekly Newspapermen Meet

Officers for Coming Year Elected at Edmonton Convention

Edmonton.—H. B. Anslow of Campbelltown, N.B., was elected president of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association at the concluding session of the annual convention here. E. Roy Stables, of Renfrew, Ont., was re-elected secretary.

Invitations for next year's convention were received from the maritimes with Halifax or St. John as the venue, and from Regina and London, Ont. No decision was arrived at, the choice being left in the hands of the executive.

Additional officers elected were as follows:

Directors: Maritime Provinces—H. B. Anslow, Windsor, N.B.; Don Fraser, New Glasgow, N.S.

Quebec—George Leake, Granby; A. Grosvenor, Thetford Mines.

Ontario—Lorrie A. Eddy, St. Mary's; A. W. Marsh, Amherstburg; J. A. J. Davis, Carleton Place; J. A. Macleod, Barrie; George McChesney, Hanover Port; George Lake, Timmins; Fred Elliott, Alliston; W. Dryden, Sarnia; D. Williams, Collingwood.

Manitoba—J. L. Cowie, Carberry; W. V. Udell, Deseronto.

Saskatchewan—Cameron McIntosh, Battleford; S. J. Dorman, Alberta; Donald Dunbar, Estevan.

British Columbia—H. R. White, Kamloops; C. A. Barber, Chilliwack.

## LOEWENSTEIN MEETS DEATH IN FALL FROM PLANE

London.—Captain Alfred Loewenstein, Belgian multi-millionaire capitalist, was the victim of a tragedy at the same time a romantic figure in finance, went to his death when, as it appears, he inadvertently stepped overboard from his private airplane when it was flying over the English Channel, and fell into the sea.

The British Air Ministry announced that the Belgian Croesus had been drowned.

Accordingly, according to the Air Ministry statement, set out from London late Tuesday night for Brussels to the main machine, one of the most luxurious ever built. At the time of the strange misadventure, he is believed to have been moving from his compartment to another and when he stepped outward, he plunged into the sea.

Another passenger on the plane followed Loewenstein after he had shifted from his position to speak to him. This passenger, whose name was not learned, found the door in the fuselage of the machine open and stepping outward, he plunged into the sea.

He immediately notified the pilot and the plane landed on the Dunkirk Sands in France. Later the plane proceeded to the aerodrome at Humber, near London.

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## H. B. ROAD TO BE COMPLETED FOR SEASON 1930

Ottawa.—That the Hudson's Bay Railway will be completed to Churchill for the season 1930 is the confident belief of the engineers. It is unlikely, however, that the last mile of the line will be completed as early as the railway line and a real test of the new northern route to the sea will not be possible for three or four years.

Some 1,500,000 cubic yards of sand, gravel and boulders must be dredged from the bay before excavations can be made at Port Churchill and take on cargoes of grain and other products of Western Canada destined for the world's markets.

Aids to navigation, direction lights and terminal elevators and docking accommodation for half a dozen vessels for the season 1930, should be established before the success or failure of the Bay route can be judged. Aided foreign trade and transportation can be determined.

When the terminal of the railway was changed from Port Nelson to Port Churchill an additional 154 miles of track was involved, the distance to Churchill being that much greater. The engineer estimates that eighty miles of that will be graded and steel laid by December of this year, and by December, 1929, steel will be laid right to Port Churchill and the whistle of the locomotives will be heard in the distance. This will enable the government to rush supplies by rail for the development of the harbor.

In connection with the excavation work for the docks and navigation channels one dredge was launched in Montreal a week ago and another will take the water next week. These dredges will be towed to Churchill in August and should report there by the end of the month. In addition, a self-propelled hopper barge was launched at Collingwood recently and it will go north with the dredges in time for operations next year.

The department has purchased one tug and leased a second tug called "The Daisy" from the Irish Free State for towing purposes in connection with the main machine. The government is constructing a temporary dock out of local timber and the personnel of the department are working when the boulders gravel have been dredged out. In the meantime supplies will be unloaded by lighter, there is deep water light across the bay except at the site of the docks.

The range-finding stations are being built on the coast of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and Fisheries at Resolution Island and Cape Hopedale. Advance for the purpose of giving the Hudson's Bay route a greater impetus.

## Planning Farm Credits System

Legislation Passed Two Years Ago Soon to Become Effective

Ottawa.—It is announced at the Finance Department that within a very short time effect will be given to the legislation passed two years ago and made entirely upon provincial advice, establishing a system of farm credits. By the legislation now passed the way was paved for Federal financing of the system in the province which went in the plan. Ontario with a scheme of its own, will not do so, but will Saskatchewan, which is in the same position, while Quebec has not decided as yet.

Four provinces, however—Manitoba, Alberta, British Columbia and Nova Scotia—subscribe to it. In consequence, the project will go ahead. A Loan Commissioner will be appointed, and a central organization, but not a large one, will be established at Ottawa.

The greater part of the administration, however, will be in the hands of the provinces.

## Fire in B.C. Mines

Fernie, B.C.—Fire in the tipple of the Fernie Colliery, owned by the Fernie, completely destroyed the structure.

This disaster will, it is believed, cause the closing down of that colliery and throw a couple of hundred men out of work. No estimate of the loss has been made.

The Lister Institute of England is experimenting with a number of guinea pigs to sign anywhere of any insect harmful to crops, he stated.

## CHAMPION CHATTER

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GEO. L. DEPUÉ, Editor.

**EDITORIAL**  
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Our swathe is all set up and in meeting with the approval of all those who are inspecting it.

**The Good Old Days**  
Adam was lucky—  
You'll have to own.  
For his wife cost him  
Just one bone.

Harold Tindal has taken out a 12 ft. Mc-Drig reel wheel.

Adam Ferguson says: "What has become of the man who used to wear a cabbage leaf in his hat to keep cool?"

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"Good Equipment Makes a Good Farmer Better"

We've never yet met a person who won't willing to give us his advice if we asked him for it.

We have just finished unloading a car of Mc-Drig horse drawn binders, also a car of new tractor binders.

**Our Sucker List**  
From all reports the fish are biting with the usual trustfulness of their simple natures.

Cash returns from your grain crop can be had immediately following harvesting by the Mc-Drig combine way.

We have a number of mighty fine folks here in Champion; we've met them personally.

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Every mother fears that her son will grow up and marry and that her daughter won't.

The Mc-Drig tractor binder is the very latest development in grain harvesting equipment and has become very popular in Western Canada.

Genuine Mc-Drig repair parts give superior service. You will always get the genuine one stamped with the I.H.C. trade mark from us.

We put the "U" in service. If we serve you well we will also serve us well.

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## VILLAGE OF CHAMPION

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that bicycle riding is strictly prohibited on sidewalks in the Village of Champion.

Any persons disregarding this notice will be prosecuted.  
By Order,  
A. McCULLOUGH, Mayor.

**The Bible Teaches**  
that  
**Christ Gives Life**

John 20:31—But these are written that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ the Son of God; and believing ye might have life through His name.

Therefore the Lutheran Church teaches—  
**Christ Saves You**  
You are invited to attend Lutheran Services in Champion Church Sunday, July 15th, at 3:30 p.m.  
REV. F. DUNSTON, Pastor.

## The Savoy Cafe

## ALL WHITE HELP

Ice Cream and Ice Cold Drinks

Monthly Rate \$30.00

21 Meals for \$7.50

Meal Tickets \$5.50 for \$5.00

Special Lunch for Parties at Special Prices.

Cigars, Cigarettes, Tobaccos Etc.

Try Our Meals—They will Please You.

We are here for Business and to please you.

Our Doors are Open All Day

K. R. McLean R. O. Sight Specialist, 212 Herald Bldg., Calgary, will make his monthly professional visit to Champion, at the Drug Store, Friday, August 3rd.

## BASEBALL!

Champion vs. Picture Butte

SUNDAY, JULY 15, at 3.30

CHAMPION GROUNDS

**now!**  
**ANOTHER EXCLUSIVE FEATURE**

The silent Willys-Knight sleeve-valve engine plus a Belflex silenced Chassis now make a completely silent car.

From the first turn of its sleeve-valve engine, the most powerful, most highly efficient and quietest in operation of all cars of its type or class, the Willys-Knight Six—a 30-mileage point still undetermined—gains in power, gain in efficiency, gain in smoothness and silence with every mile.

And now—Belflex Shackle—still another new and exclusive Willys-Knight feature—a tremendous engineering advance over the unsatisfactory and noisy metal shackles of other cars. Belflex guards against all chassis rattles and squeaks. It deadens road vibration, eliminates all road shocks and shackle lubrication.

Belflex provides that the spring parts of the car are insulated from the unsprung parts with a noiseless flexible fabric shock-absorbing rubberized—thereby affording permanent chassis silence and diminishing wear at every point of the car.

Examine the new "W" Willys-Knight Six or the "C" Willys-Knight Six, yourself. Willys-Knight has been making a name for itself in America. Leadership was never more definitely emphasized than in the engineering, beauty, luxury and performance ability of these fine cars.

The Willys-Knight Six is priced from \$1275 to \$1800. The new "W" Willys-Knight Six is priced from \$1425 to \$1950. The new "C" Willys-Knight Six is priced from \$1125 to \$1650. Prices I.O.B. factory. Taxes extra.

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**Save the surface and save the paint**

**Defies**  
Sun, Wind and Snow.  
**Wears Better**  
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Lump Coal \$4.00 per ton at mine

Nut Coal at mine \$1.50

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11 a.m.—Sunday School.

Pleading services are withdrawn while the pastor is away on his holidays. He expects to return about Aug. 10.

Making Regular Shipments

of HOGS.

Let us know what you have

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## Champion Meat Market

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Swathers and Pickups

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## W.I. Holds Regular Meeting

In spite of the combination of Stampede week and vacation time, fourteen ladies were in attendance at the regular meeting of the Champion Women's Institute, held in the home of Mrs. L. Barker on Tuesday afternoon.

The main features of the program were an interesting paper on "Canadianization and Immigration," by Mrs. J. T. Stephenson, and a very complete report of the recent Provincial Convention held in Calgary, by Mrs. K. E. Steeves, (read by Mrs. Baubier).

Many important items of business came up for consideration including a final report from the Bake Sale convened by Mrs. Stephenson; report from the refreshment committee for 'Visitors' Day,' convened by Mrs. Hummel, and the report from the Social Afternoon when the Advisory Board were hostesses, Mrs. Baubier, convened by Mrs. Milfin proudly presented the W.I. with \$10.00, the amount of the prize awarded the W.I. float on Dominion Day.

Each of these committees was tendered a vote of appreciation for their efforts in making their respective undertakings so successful.

A further contribution of \$15 was voted to the Junior Tennis Club, making a total of \$25.00 supplied by the W.I. towards properly fitting up the tennis courts.

Mrs. Bastin, Mrs. Alcock and Mrs. Milfin were appointed to draft a constitution for the local branch, and Mrs. Alcock was named the local representative for the "Links of the Empire."

The invitation from the Board of Directors of the Carmangay Agricultural Society to enter the contest for exhibits of soil products elicited an enthusiastic discussion and was accepted by a unanimous vote. The following committee was named to make all necessary arrangements for the Champion W.I. display: Messrs. B. N. Woodhull, G. F. Smith and J. N. Baubier; Mrs. U. S. Alexander and Mrs. M. Sisson.

Ten, sandwiches and cake were served by the hostesses for the afternoon, at the close of the business session, Mrs. B. Hummel, Mrs. M. Sisson and Mrs. Williamson.

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